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NANAIMO NEWS BUDGET.

The City may buy the Electric Light and Gas Works—A Horse Hangs Itself.

NANAIMO, March 25.—The by-law for raising $84,000 to purchase the gas and electric light works passed its third reading on Monday night and was ordered to be published. The matter will be put before the people some time in May. It is a question whether the council will succeed in obtaining the money, as many think the sum asked is excessive for the purchase of these two works.

STORE IMPROVEMENT.

Messrs. Sloan & Scott, dry goods merchants, have made a big improvement in the extension of their premises. They have also sent for plate glass windows. These gentlemen have only been in business a few months, but during that time they have succeeded in gaining a large share of the patronage of the people of this city. They promise to be the rising dry goods merchants of Nanaimo.

A HORSE HANGS ITSELF.

A horse belonging to Mr. T. Peck was left in the stable on Monday night, as usual, but when the owner went to take it out he was surprised to find it dead. On looking round, he discovered the hind hoof of the horse over the halter rope, and he came to the conclusion that the horse had been scratching itself with its hind hoof and got caught in the rope, and the more it tried to extricate itself the tighter it pulled the rope, until it broke its neck. The horse was valued at $250.

HAVING A BIG TIME.

The salvation army have been working hard in this city during the past few days, and the big drum has boomed louder than ever. Several officers from other quarters have been paying a visit to the corps here, and have expressed their satisfaction at its standing. The visitors left the city this morning for Victoria.

LITTLE HAPPENINGS.

Mr. W. Bickle was thrown from his horse yesterday while galloping towards Northfield. He was badly shaken, but received no injuries.

A negro employed at the Wellington mines had his finger taken off last Saturday by being jammed between a box of coal at the rib.

The scholars at the boys' school are enjoying a short vacation, which also enables the teacher to take the customary three days' holiday.

CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

Jos. Elliot, one of the best known and highly esteemed business men of London, Ont., is dead, aged 61.

The body of a man, supposed to be Capt. C. G. Goldie, of Burk's Falls, Ont., has been found in a snow bank, badly torn by wolves.

The Dominion military report shows the annual expenditure to have been $1,206,810. This includes the permanent forces $463,881; ammunition and clothing, $198,553. The pension appropriation was $30,766. The other items were: Survivors of the war of 1812, $3,240; Fenian raid, $3,038; Northwest rebellion, $22,289. Since Confederation the total military expenditure has been $31,422,740. All reports of the inspection of the militia have been of a very satisfactory character. The number of volunteers is over 37,000, and half of this number drilled under canvas last summer.

ANNIVERSARIES.

Important Events Which Transpired On This Day—A Historical Reminder.

MARCH 25.

Born—Sir Richard Cox, 1650.
Died—Archbishop John Williams, 1650.
Sir Thomas Elyot, 1546.
Anna Seward, 1809.
Barney Williams (actor), 1876.
Joseph W. Drexell, 1888.
Garibaldi in England, 1864.
Witchcraft Act repealed, 1736.
Opening of Thames Tunnel, 1843.

The Miners's Case.

Chief Justice Begbie, Justice Crease and Justice McCreight sat at 2 o'clock this afternoon to deal with the six miners who were sentenced last week to six weeks' imprisonment. Mr. Chas. Wilson, for the defendants, applied for a rule nisi. He explained the case at length, and submitted that the court had power to grant the application for a new trial. Considerable argument ensued, and the court was adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carpet remnants at cost at Hastie & Erskine's.

NICHOLLS' OPINION.

A LETTER TO BLAINE FROM THE GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA.

Most of Those Killed Were American Citizens—The Opinion Expressed That the Lynching Would Terminate the Trouble With the Mafia Proves True.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The answer of Governor Nicholls, of Louisiana, to Secretary Blaine's telegram of March 15th, in reference to the New Orleans affair, was received by the secretary and given by him to the President to-day. A full text of the letter is:

"Executive Department, State of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, March 21st: To Hon. Jas. G. Blaine, Secretary of State, Washington. Sir,—At a late hour on the 15th instant, I received a dispatch from you having reference to the forcible breaking on the 14th of this month of the jail in this city, and the killing of all persons confined therein under indictment found in the criminal district court for the parish of Orleans. You stated to me that it had been reported to the President by the Minister of Italy, and accredited to the Government of the United States, that among the killed on that occasion were three or four subjects of the King of Italy. The telegram disclosed an apprehension that the part of the minister was evidently shared by the President that the disturbance was a continuous and swelling disturbance which might involve the Italian subjects in New Orleans. I have reason to believe that the hope expressed by the President that I would so operate with him in maintaining the obligation of the United States towards Italian subjects who might be within the perils of the excitement and that further violence and bloodshed might be prevented was based upon that belief. The President further expressed the hope that all offenders might be promptly brought to justice. On the 16th I telegraphed you that there was no excitement in the city at that time and that I had no reason to anticipate further trouble. I also stated that the action taken was directed against particular individuals, and that race or nationality of parties was not a faction in the disturbance. A week has passed since the date of my dispatch and the opinion then entertained as to the termination of the trouble has proved to have been well founded. The men killed, as I have stated were confined in prison under indictments found in the criminal district court of the parish of Orleans. The sheriff has made his return of the facts of that court. The judge thereof has charged the grand jury now in session in regard to the matter and the whole subject is, I assume, now under investigation by that body. I am satisfied that most of the persons killed were American citizens, but it is probable that two or three were Italian subjects. I have the honor to be, very respectfully, FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS.

German Judges Don't Believe It.

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 25.—Editor Chas. H. Schmidt of the Free Press of this city has received a letter from Richmond Tomlinson in Germany, informing him that Andreras Hangert, of Elizabeth, was in prison in Waidshut, Baden, for speaking disrespectfully of Emperor William. Hangert, who is a naturalized American citizen, went to Germany on a visit five months ago, and while in a drinking resort in Waidshut, said that there were several people in this world who knew more than Kaiser William. For this expression it is alleged he was taken before a magistrate and sentenced to six months imprisonment. He appealed to the American consul who communicated with the authorities in his country.

Only a Sharp Trick.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Some of the western railways are much excited over the discovery that the Missouri Pacific is accepting a rate of 40 cents per 100 pounds on sugar from New York to Missouri river against the regular rate of 48 cents. When the discovery was made it was thought that the Missouri Pacific had made a secret cut in violation of the law, but it was found on investigation that the company had neglected to file its tariff with the interstate commission quoting the 40 cent rate. The worst it has done is to play a sharp trick on its competitors.

The Bonds not Wanted.

ST. PAUL, March 25.—At a meeting this morning of the finance committee of the court house, Minneapolis, which is to cost two million dollars, it was found that not a single bid for bonds had been received, although 100,000 letters returning bids had been sent to eastern financial agencies. The trouble is laid at the door of the legislature which is almost daily making changes in the mortgage and loan laws. No further attempt to sell the bonds will be made until the legislature adjourns on April 23rd.

The Grant Monument.

NEW YORK, March 25.—The executive committee of the Grant monument association decided at a meeting yesterday to break ground for the monument on April 23rd, the anniversary of Gen. Grant's birthday. The monument will be erected in Riverside park, opposite the tomb of Gen. Grant. The treasury now has something over $146,000 subscribed for the monument, but $50,000 will have to be raised for its completion.

A Confederate's Funeral.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The funeral services were held yesterday over the remains of the late Confederate General Jos. E. Johnston, at St. John's Episcopal church. The church was crowded with Confederate veterans and many people prominent in official life. The services were of the simplest character.

Dangerous Men.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., March 25.—Officer Hardwick endeavored on Saturday to arrest a noted colored criminal named Brump, for whom a large reward was offered. Brump showed fight, and finally pulled a pistol and shot Hardwick in the arm, and killed a bystander. Hardwick returned fire, and instantly killed Brump. Fifteen shots were fired. Brump was an escaped convict, and was wanted on several serious charges.

Judge Lynch Again.

BIRMINGHAM, Mar. 25.—John Dances, colored, was lynched at Columbiana, about 3 o'clock yesterday morning. He attempted an assault upon a white woman in Shelby county. A body of armed men went to the house of the jailor, and forced him to unlock the cell. They took Dances to the woods, half a mile from the town, and hanged him.

A Prominent Lawyer Dead.

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 25.—General John Lee, Lieut.-Governor of Ohio, under Governor R. Hayes, and one of the most prominent lawyers of Ohio, died last evening, aged 63.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

Westminster oarsmen have commenced steady practice. The river is in fine condition for rowing upon and will continue so for some time yet.

Can This be Bob Fitzsimmons?

PITTSBURG, March 24.—Excitement still runs high in McKeesport and vicinity over the murder of Detective Gilkerson and the shooting of the officers. There seems to be an impenetrable mystery surrounding the nervy man Fitzsimmons or Budd, who fought the officers. Budd claims he awoke out of a sound sleep to see his wife struggling with two men, and he fired, not knowing who they were. When the detectives searched his house they found papers showing that Frederick C. Fitzsimmons has recently fallen heir to property in Brookeville, Ont. A telegram was sent there, and a reply promptly came that Frederick C. Fitzsimmons was at his home in that city. This lends additional mystery to the man.

Fitzsimmons' Money is up.

CHICAGO, March 24.—George Clarke, the backer of Fitzsimmons, said to-night that he has $2500 on deposit with Mr. Ballard, of the Inter Ocean, and Hall's backers must cover this amount or stop talking. Clark says he will take no notice of the paltry $1000 forfeit, which Harris says he has deposited in San Francisco. "I want enough money up," said Clark, "to make Hall fight after making the match."

PORTLAND, March 24.—In reference to a dispatch from Chicago stating that the backers of Jim Hall had not yet covered the forfeit posted there by Fitzsimmons, Joe Harris, manager of Hall, said to-day: "We know nothing of any forfeit posted at Chicago. Some time ago we placed $1000 with the San Francisco Examiner, which is waiting to be covered by Fitzsimmons' money." Harris further stated that the offer of the San Antonio club for a $15,000 purse was accepted by them five weeks ago, and that they had deposited $500 with the San Francisco Chronicle as evidence of good faith.

No Pool Selling in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—The board of supervisors to-night passed an ordinance prohibiting the sale of pools in the city and county of San Francisco except on an inclosed race course. The ordinance was signed by the mayor five minutes after its passage.

Football.

Clerks vs. Law Students—An association match between these two fraternities is on the tapis for Friday afternoon at Beacon Hill Park. The sides will be picked to-night and final arrangements made.

Lacrosse.

The Victoria lacrosse club met in Hall & Lowe's office last evening for the purpose of arranging a programme for the coming season, but adjourned until next Monday evening without having done any business.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The Sea Lion will soon be in the hands of the overhaulers, she being on the Star ways for repairs.

The steamer Etta White left to-day for Moodyville. She comes down next week with a scow load of lumber for the outer wharf.

On Tuesday the first of the fleet of new sealing schooners building at Vancouver was launched. She will be at once fitted out for the summer cruise.

Captain Lyons, for twenty-five years in the employ of Goodall, Perkins & Co., died after two weeks' illness on Monday. He was well known on the coast.

Capt. Christian Meyers, of Westminster, who came here in 1858, and who has since been engaged in steamboating, died at his residence last Sunday evening.

The report that there was small pox on the schooner Sophie Sutherland at Port Townsend, was a scare made to keep boats from coming near her, as her crew of twenty sailors were desirous of leaving.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore, Capt. Chas. Hackett, entered port this morning from her coast sealing cruise. She came in to get supplies and to have her sails repaired. She has 47 sealskins aboard. Rough weather has been experienced, and so far her luck has been slim. She goes to sea again in a few days.

A cablegram from Sydney, N. S. W., announces the loss of the Belgian bark Don Nicholas. The vessel was under the command of Capt. Gustaveson. She left Newcastle, N.S.W., March 3rd, for San Francisco, and foundered at sea. All hands were saved and landed at Sydney. The Don Nicholas was a famous Yankee ship in the fifties. She was built at Newbury, Mass., in 1858, and known as the Eddystone. Her name was afterwards changed to Venus. The vessel was 1056 tons register and she had no class in the record.

EUROPEAN DISPATCHES.

CROFTERS RETAKE THEIR OLD HOMES AND WILL STAY.

Will Healy and Parnell Have a Contest in Cork—Healy's Opinion of the Assault Made on Him by Dalton—He Looses Five Teeth Besides His Eye.

LONDON, March 25.—Last night on the island of Lewis, in the outer Hebrides, a party of a hundred Crofters assembled and after marching all night and crossing three locks arrived this morning at Erissey Park, from which place they had previously been evicted, in order to make room for a deer preserve. Immediately upon their arrival at their destination every Crofter threw entrenchments on the sites of their former homes and went into camp. They have announced their firm determination to cultivate the soil for the sustenance of themselves and their families and are resolved to meet force with force should an attempt be made to oust them.

The Cork Contest.

LONDON, March 25.—The Times referring to the announcement by Parnell that he had forwarded his application for Chiltern-Hundred to Nolan, adds that Maurice Healy has promptly responded by sending his application to Sir Thomas Esmonde for a simultaneous presentation with that of Parnell. The Times continues: "The contest in Cork must follow unless Parnell tries to escape by pleading some flaw in the procedure of his opponent. If he decides to fight, it is plain that it is the duty of the Unionists to join issue in the coming battle with the Conservatives. The Conservatives should therefore start a candidate, for in the division of their foes lies the Unionist opportunity."

The Assault on Healy.

CORK, March 25.—Timothy Healy this morning said of the savage assault made upon him yesterday: "I was offering my hand in friendly greeting to Mr. Dalton when he rushed upon me and hit me a terrific blow in the face smashing my spectacles and forcing some of the broken glass into my face. The injury to my eyesight causes much pain." Replying to a question Healy said, "No, I shall not prosecute him. I freely forgive him for he has done good work for his country. He is going to be tried by the government."

Other Injuries Inflicted.

CORK, March 25.—It has developed that Healy's injuries were not confined to the damage done to his right eye, but he also lost five teeth. Mr. Healy received a telegraph dispatch from T. S. O'Connor, in which that gentleman said "I am shocked at the dastardly attack made upon you." Sir John Pope Hennessy has written Healy that he expresses in the name of the members of the Irish Nationalist members of Parliament indignation and regret which they feel at the outrage inflicted on Healy.

TRAINS COLLIDE.

One Life Lost and Several Persons Injured—A Terrible Smash-Up.

RACINE, Wis., March 25.—The north bound Chicago and Northwestern passenger train, known as the Green Bay and Marietta Express and the Milwaukee freight train, collided at Racine junction at 12 o'clock this morning, causing the loss of one life, the fatal injury of one or more persons and seriously injury to half dozen others, all employees of the company. The freight train, as was its custom, ran in on the side track at the junction, to give the passenger train right of way. There were sixty-four cars in the train and it became unmanageable. Loud signals from the engineer for brakes were answered by the brakeman, but their efforts to bring the train to a standstill were futile, and before either the passenger or freight could realize what was happening the locomotives had met and careened. The freight train ran in on the main track just as the passenger train was pulling into the junction at the depot. The crash was terrific, but both engineers remained at their posts. The wreck took fire immediately and the alarm was turned in and department soon had several streams playing on the blaze. However, a few of the freight cars, baggage car and express car were all burned with their contents. All the cars in passenger train were derailed and one Pullman took fire but was quickly extinguished. The escaping steam caught the men as they tried to extricate themselves from the wreck and most of them suffered severe burns. The injured were quickly taken into the depot waiting room. Doctors were summoned and their wounds dressed. The safe in the express car fell upon the messenger, pinning him to the floor of the burning car, from which he was rescued by several passengers. They were none too soon for the flames were fast crowding upon him. At 1 o'clock the injured were removed to St. Luke's and St. Mary's hospitals, where they were made as comfortable as trained nurses and good physicians could make them. At 2.30 o'clock the body of Willis Andrews, of Fond du Lac Wis., fireman of the freight train, was taken from the wreck where it had been planed down by the engine. The body was burned to a crisp. All the injured men are now at the hospital doing well. The injuries received by John Grobbin, of the passenger train, are the worst. His neck and chest are badly scalded. The doctors, however, think he will recover. Mrs. Page, of O'Connell, who was in one of the rear coaches when the collision occurred, fainted from fright and is now in a critical condition.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

The Assessment Bill and Land Act in Committee of the Whole Yesterday.

The speaker took the chair at two o'clock, and the house immediately went into committee on the land act.

The committee spent the afternoon discussing and amending the measure.

The house rose at six o'clock, and contrary to expectation a night session was announced.

EVENING SESSION.

At 7:45 the Speaker took the chair, and the further consideration of the assessment bill was ordered.

PRIVILEGE.

Hon. Mr. Beaven rose to a question of privilege concerning the assessment bill, and pointed out that the bill was framed to tax religious and charitable institutions, and the land they rest on. The finance minister had proposed an amendment to make these buildings exempt. This, the speaker held, was in direct opposition to parliamentary practice; a minister should in all cases support government measures, or resign his seat, and quoted at length from parliamentary practice to show that his contention was valid. The bill objected to by Mr. Beaven was a distinctly government measure, and no cabinet minister should object to the bill, yet here was a cabinet minister who was making amendments diametrically opposite to the tenor of the bill. The course he should pursue was either a resignation or else act in unity.

Hon. Mr. Robson said the objections were in no way well taken. He could say that the government was entirely in accord, and it was also to be borne in mind that it was quite competent for any member of the cabinet to consider any bill brought down by message, and to make amendments to it.

Hon. Mr. Turner also held that Hon. Mr. Beaven's contention was not well taken, and started in to speak on the matter at length, but was interrupted by Mr. Beaven, who rose to a point of order, and asked to what the hon. gentlemen was speaking. He, Mr. Beaven, had spoken to a question of privilege.

The discussion ended at this point, and the house went into committee of the whole on the assessment bill, with Mr. Martin in the chair, at 1:15 p.m.

At 10:30 p.m. the committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

The house then rose.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

By Mr. Sword—In Nicola, Kamloops and Simikameen Railway bill, to strike out clause 30, and insert therefore: The said railway shall be commenced within 18 months from the passage of this act, and shall be completed to Nicola Lake within three years from the passage of act, and after the said three years shall build each year 30 miles of railway, otherwise the powers granted shall be null and void as to so much of the railway as then remains uncompleted.

Col. Baker—To amend section 3 of sub-section 1, of the Game Act of 1888, by striking out "first day of September," and inserting "15th day of August."

Hon. Mr. Davie—An Act for the Protection of Cattle.

Mr. Kitchen, on the consideration of the land bill—section 2 of the land act amendment act, 1890, is hereby repealed, and the following section substituted: Any person who is entitled to pre-empt land under the provisions of the land act shall be entitled to pre-empt land suitable for agricultural purposes and not containing more than 2000 feet milling timber per acre on such land, when there is an area of not less than 40 acres of such land in one block, in any timber lease, and shall be entitled to cut and take for his own use, but not for sale or barter, such timber for posts, rails and firewood, as he shall actually require for use on the land so recorded or pre-empted; and shall be entitled to cut, for the purpose of clearing said land, any timber that is not valuable for milling purposes, and shall have the right of passing and repassing over the lands in such timber lease, provided he shall not commit wilful waste or damage in passing over such lands, or in cutting such wood.

Hon. Mr. Davie—To introduce an act to amend the B. C. railway act.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—That the Lieut.-Governor be requested to cause to be sent down to the house copies of all orders-in-council and correspondence between the Dominion and Provincial Governments with reference to the disallowance, or otherwise, of the statutes of 1890.

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GOING NORTH. READ DOWN

Stations	Miles from Victoria	No. 2 Passenger Daily	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Mon.
VICTORIA		De. 8:00 A.M.	De. 3:00 P.M.
RUSSELL'S	1	8:04	3:04
ESQUIMALT	4	8:14	3:14
GOLDSTREAM	11	[illegible]	3:30
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	26	[illegible]	4:04
COBBLE HILL	31	9:44	4:14
McPHERSON'S	35	9:57	[illegible]
KOKSILAH	38	10:07	4:30
DUNCAN'S	40	10:12	4:44
SOMENOS	43	10:22	4:54
CHEMAINUS	52	10:45	5:10
NANAIMO	73	Ar. 11:30 / De. 11:50	6:14
WELLINGTON	78	Ar. 12:14 P.M.	Ar. 6:29 P.M.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.

Stations	Miles from Wellington	No. 1 Passenger Daily	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Mon.
VICTORIA	78	Ar. 12:34 P.M.	Ar. 6:58 P.M.
RUSSELL'S	77	12:30	5:54
ESQUIMALT	74	12:10	5:44
GOLDSTREAM	67	11:44 A.M.	5:19
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	52	[illegible]	[illegible]
COBBLE HILL	47	10:40	4:14
McPHERSON'S	43	10:27	[illegible]
KOKSILAH	40	10:17	3:49
DUNCAN'S	38	10:12	3:44
SOMENOS	35	10:02	3:34
CHEMAINUS	26	9:38	3:13
NANAIMO	5	De. 8:34 / Ar. 8:25	2:14
WELLINGTON		De. 8:10	De. 1:55

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ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of April, 1891, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay such indebtedness forthwith.

G. H. BROWN,
R. A. BROWN,
Executors.

Victoria, B.C., March 18, 1891. ma18-1m

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WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT the next sitting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates of the City of Victoria we will apply for a transfer to Michael Powers of the license now held by us to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Brown Jug Saloon situate at the corner of Fort and Government streets in the said City of Victoria.

WM. CROFT.
M. POWERS.

Victoria, March 13, 18 . ma13-1m

NOTICE.

Estate of William Hammond, Deceased.

CREDITORS OF WILLIAM HAMMOND, late of the City of Victoria, civil engineer, deceased, are requested to send their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts, forthwith, to the undersigned.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for Frances Gertrude Hammond, executrix of the will of the deceased. m12-1m

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
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Victoria, Dec 11, 1890. de12-tf

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT intend making application to the able the Chief Commissioner of Land Works for a timber lease of the foll described tracts of land, situate in Ra Coast District, that is to say:

1. Commencing at a post near the h Skookum-Chuck Inlet, thence north 40 c thence east 320 chains; thence south 120 c thence west 20 chains; thence north 80 c more or less, to Skookum-Chuck Inlet; following the shore line in an easterly di to the point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a post on the west s Rivers Inlet near the head of Wannuck bor; thence north 80 chains; thence w chains; thence south 80 chains; thence e chains to point of commencement.

3. Commencing at a post on the north a large bay due west of Kendalla Point; north 60 chains; thence west 40 chains; north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; south 60 chains; thence east 100 chains; north about 40 chains to the sea shore; following the shore line in a westerly, no ly and easterly direction to the place of mencement.

4. Commencing at a post near the hea large bay due north of Shotbolt Bay, Inlet; thence west 60 chains; thence no chains; thence east 60 chains; thence so chains; thence east 60 chains; thence sou chains; thence west about 20 chains, to shore; thence following the sea shore in westerly direction to the place of com ment.

5. Commencing at the north west cor the Indian Reserve at the mouth of th dalla river; thence north 240 chains; east 80 chains; thence south 240 chains; west 80 chains to place of commencemen

6. Commencing at a post on the north of Owe-Kano lake about 6 miles from its thence north 80 chains; thence east 60 c thence south 80 chains, more or less, to th thence following the shore line in a w direction to the place of commencement.

7. Commencing at the mouth of a river south side of Owe Kano lake about 1 from the outlet; thence south 60 chains; east 80 chains; thence north about 40 cha the river; thence following the river westerly direction to the place of comm ment.

8. Commencing at a post on the west Owe-Kano lake about 35 miles from its thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 c thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 c thence east 100 chains; thence north 320 c thence west 120 chains; thence south 20 c thence west 60 chains; thence north 30 c thence west 80 chains; thence south 320 to the place of commencement.

9. Commencing at a post on the east Owe-Kano lake about 35 miles from the thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 thence east 40 chains, to the lake; then lowing the lake shore south to the p commencement.

10. Commencing at a post at the h Owe-Kano lake thence east 320 chains; north 160 chains; thence west about 320 to the river which flows into the sai thence south following the river to the of commencement.

11. Commencing at a post at the h South Bentick Arm, thence east 20 thence south 80 chains, thence west 100 thence north 100 chains, thence east 40 to Bentick Arm, thence following the line east to the place of commencement.

12. Commencing at a post on the east south Bentick Arm, about three mile the head of the Arm, thence east 60 thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 thence south 40 chains, thence west 10 thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 thence south 40 chains; thence west 2 more or less to the point of commencem

JOHN WHI
T. J. HAMB

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TH days after date I intend to apply Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lan Works for permission to lease the fol pieces of land, situated in Renfrew D described as follows:—

No. 1. Commencing at a post on the w line of the E. & N. Railway lands; then 50 chains; thence south 60 chains, more to the beach; thence easterly 50 chains; north 60 chains, more or less, to point mencement.

No. 2. Commencing at a post on the about 30 chains west of Coal Creek; north 120 chains; thence west 100 chains; south 100 chains; thence east 100 chains eastern boundary line; all for timber.

WM. P. SAYW

Victoria, Feb. 16, 1891. fe

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TH days after date I intend to apply orable Chief Commissioner of Lands and for permission to lease the following de timber land in Renfrew District:—Comm at a post about ½ of a mile west of Pe Point; thence north 60 chains; thence chains; thence south about 60 chains beach; thence easterly along the shore li to point of commencement.

WM. P. SAYW

Victoria 10th Feb. 1891. fe

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C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-Ge

Land Registry office,
Victoria 5th Jan., 1891. Jan

TENDERS.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS O Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospi now prepared to receive tenders for chase of the land and buildings of the Benevolent Society, situated oppo Joseph's Hospital.

The lowest or any tender not necess cepted, to be addressed to the Presiden the 31st inst., under cover to

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Secret
63 Government s

Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1891.

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THE CANADIAN MARINE.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR 1890.

Lighthouses, Buoys and Beacons on the Pacific Coast—Something About Messenger Pigeons

[From our own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Ont., March 17.—The annual report of the department of marine, though printed some time ago, has only been given to the public to-day. In fact several of the departmental reports were ready for distribution prior to the general elections, but as they might furnish matter for the Opposition which would operate against the Government it was doubtless thought best to keep them on hand until the fight was over. Particularly was this the case in regard to the trade and navigation returns. The report of the department of marine shows that the total amount expended on the various branches of the public service administered by the department during the year was $807,—, which was $113,279 less than the amount appropriated by parliament. Proving that there was no inefficiency in any of the various agencies etc., under the control of the department this may be said to be highly gratifying. From various paragraphs I observe from time to time in Victoria newspapers. I am afraid a part of this sum might have been judiciously expended on the Pacific coast. When the next report is issued this surplus will not only disappear but the full amount voted by Parliament will also be expended. The Maritime Provinces did not go Tory for nothing. The people there are not made of such material. The expenditure for lighthouse and mist service amounted to $466,155, compared with $510,267 for the previous year, showing a reduction in expenditure of $44,112. Referring to British Columbia lighthouse service the report says, "Since confederation much has been done for the improvement of navigation in this province," etc.

NEW LIGHTHOUSES.

Representations were made during the present season by the shipping interests of British Columbia in regard to the necessity for the erection of a lighthouse and fog-signal at Turn Point, Stuart Island, and at Patos Island, in Washington Territory. The places referred to are situated in United States territory, but would serve the interests of navigation much better than any points which might be selected on any lands in Canadian territory, and the United States government were asked whether there is any prospect of the two lights and fog-alarms referred to being erected by that government; and, if not, whether the government of Canada would be permitted to establish the lights and fog-alarms, sufficient land being allotted for the purposes of a station on each island, it being understood that, in the event of the desired permission being granted these aids to navigation would be maintained free of expense to United States shipping, and that no light dues would be imposed on shipping making use of the lights. A reply just received conveys the gratifying information that an appropriation will probably be made for the establishment by the United States government, during the coming season, of these two important light and fog-alarm stations. The value of these aids to navigation cannot be overestimated. Besides being absolutely necessary for the safe navigation of large steamers between Victoria and Vancouver, they will serve an immense amount of American shipping plying not only to Canadian ports, but between San Francisco, Portland and Alaska.

VICTORIA BOARD OF TRADE.

The following extract from the report will be of interest:

Representations have been made by the Victoria Board of Trade that there has been neglect in heeding their oft-repeated notices as to the urgency for lights, beacons and buoys, particularly on the coast of Vancouver Island, north of Nanaimo, but no communications appear to have been received from the board in question in regard to improvements to navigation in any part of British Columbia. Representations have, however, been received from other sources as to the necessity for two small harbor lights for the ports of Nanaimo and Departure bay, and for Chemainus, two buoys and a lighthouse north of Nanaimo. Arrangements have been made for the placing of the buoys, but owing to the large expenditure which was being incurred on more important lights in that Province it was not deemed advisable to proceed with the erection of the beacon and lighthouses at present. It will be seen, however, by reference to what has been done in providing and maintaining aids to navigation in British Columbia during the past few years, that there has been no neglect of the requirements of that Province, in respect to navigation, and in recognizing the already great and continually growing importance of our shipping interests in the Pacific ocean, and particularly the importance of rendering the navigation between Victoria and Vancouver as safe as possible for the large steamers which are now running on the route between British Columbia, Japan, and Hong Kong, and which will probably be supplemented by still larger vessels in the future.

It has been directed that the engineer of this department should early next season proceed to British Columbia to examine and report fully upon all aids to navigation in those waters, both those now existing and such others as may be required, to the end that the department may intelligently take the best possible steps to facilitate and ensure the safety of this branch of the commerce of the Dominion.

THE OLD STORY.

This is the policy of 'old-to-morrow,' to-morrow which never comes. An engineer was sent to the city of Quebec, prior to the general elections to survey the work for a bridge over to St. Lawrence between that place and Point Levis, but does any one suppose to hear of a bridge being built until the next general elections come off. The same thing was done in respect to the tunnel scheme between Prince Edward Island and the mainland. The docile followers of Sir John Macdonald in British Columbia did not even require that he should make any pretensions of that kind in their province.

IMPROVEMENTS AT VICTORIA.

The custom house wharf at Victoria, which is largely used by the Department of Marine, was extended in order to make it available for the lighthouse steamer being moored to it. The work was done by contract and the piles coppered at a cost of $2,066.59, in addition to the original cost of the wharf, which was built by the Public Works Department. The total cost of maintaining the lights, fog-alarms, buoys and beacons in the Province of British Columbia for the fiscal year ended 30th June last was $14,344.90, and the expenditure for construction was $4,460.84.

MESSENGER PIGEONS.

The annual report concludes with an article from Major General Cameron on messenger pigeons, which he desires everybody as far as possible to obtain and use for amusement in carrying messages. It concludes as follows:

Why should not all transatlantic steamers carry birds with them, to announce the approach to either coast?

The Illustrated Daily Graphic, in England, has its pigeon loft. Its birds brought to it a succession of sketches taken on board a steam launch following the course of the Oxford and Cambridge race; and from the train in which the Prince of Wales travelled to open the Forth bridge its pigeons brought pictures of incidents *en route*.

Newspaper men here might receive early photographic copies of European news two or three days in advance of the arrival of the mails by vessels liberating messenger pigeons. The eastern Canadian press might exchange news in a similar way with the western press, and Canada generally exchange with the United States. With well-tested, reliable birds, it might even be possible to transmit official dispatches between the British Embassy at Washington and Ottawa—more rapidly far than by mail.

It is earnestly hoped that not a few of those who read this article will consider it a citizen's duty to encourage the breeding and training of messenger pigeons as a means of furnishing abundance of innocent amusement to young and old alike, as useful helps in domestic and personal affairs, as servants of the press, as aids in the transaction of business, as assistants in commerce, as invaluable friends of the mercantile marine, and as indispensible auxiliaries to the navy and army in the time of our country's need.

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Dashaway—When I started for the office this morning I didn't notice that the blamed tailor had cressed my trousers wrong and I've walked four miles out of my way.

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A BY-LAW

To Establish the Grades of Streets Within the City of Victoria.

Whereas it is expedient to establish the grades of certain streets, avenues and walks within the city of Victoria

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1 From and after the final passage of this by-law the grades of the streets, avenues and walks set forth in the schedule hereto shall, at the points set forth in the first column of the said schedule, be at the elevations set forth in the second column of the said schedule, and that between the different points mentioned, where the grade is specifically fixed, the grade shall be uniform and true subject to clause 3 hereof.

2 Elevation shall mean the height above datum which is 100 feet below mean high water mark.

3 Wherever it may be deemed necessary, expedient or convenient, the grade Commissioners, for the time being, may establish any point or points as the grade along any of the streets mentioned in the schedule hereto intermediate between the point of intersection of the centres of said streets, or any of them, and thereafter the grade along said streets or any of them as aforesaid, shall be uniform and true between the centre of intersection of the streets or any of them, in the schedule hereto and the point hereafter to be established along said streets, and in case more than one point be established, then the grade shall be uniform and true between each of the said points.

4 Any person owning or occupying or having an interest of any kind in any lot abutting upon any street in the City of Victoria, may at any time after the passage of this by-law apply to the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the grade of that portion of the street fronting his lot and it shall thereupon be the duty of the said Corporation, upon payment of the sum of five dollars, to cause such grade to be given in accordance with this By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Streets Grade By-Law 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of February, A. D., 1891

Reconsidered and finally passed this 18th day of March, A. D., 1891.

(L. S) JOHN GRANT.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C.

SCHEDULE,

at the respective points of intersection of the centres of the streets hereinafter mentioned.

Bird Cage Walk opposite entrance to Government Grounds, 128.84 feet above datum.

Bird Cage Walk and Superior street, 133.53 feet above datum.

Bird Cage Walk and Michigan street, 135.13 feet above datum.

(2)

Blanchard street and Queen's Avenue, 160.90 feet above datum.

Blanchard street and Princess Avenue, 167.90 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Herald streets, 174.20 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Pioneer streets, 173.88 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Fisguard streets, 168.93 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Cormorant streets, 165.73 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Farquhar streets, 163.03 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Pandora W streets, 161.42 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Pandora E streets, 161.92 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Yates streets, 159.44 feet above datum.

Blanchard and View streets, 165.64 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Fort streets, 166.96 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Kane streets, 166.16 feet above datum.

Blanchard and Rae streets, 167.70 feet above datum.

3)

Carr and Toronto streets, 133.54 feet above datum.

Carr and Simcoe streets, 146.81 feet above datum.

Carr and Niagara, streets, 142.28 feet above datum.

Carr and Battery streets, 153.71 feet above datum.

Carr street and Dallas Road, 150.28 feet above datum.

(4)

Constance and Discovery streets, 125.50 feet above datum.

On Constance at 154 feet from Discovery streets, 125.50 feet above datum.

On Constance at 605 feet from Discovery streets, 118.50 feet above datum.

(5)

Cook and Alfred streets, 187.23 feet above datum.

Cook and St. Louis streets, 186.46 feet above datum.

Cook and Pandora streets, 186. 20 feet above datum.

Cook and Yates streets, 167.23 feet above datum.

Cook and View streets, 164.65 feet above datum.

Cook and Fort streets, 164.29 feet above datum.

Cook and Moars streets, 162.92 feet above datum.

Cook and Belcher streets, 160.33 feet above datum.

Cook and Bellot streets, 159.72 feet above datum.

Cook and Scoresby streets, 154.99 feet above datum.

Cook and Richardson streets, 152.54 fee above datum.

Cook and Franklin streets, 151.90 feet above datum.

Cook and Labouchere streets, 148.01 feet above datum.

Cook and Parkington streets, 135.29 feet above datum.

Cook and Putnam streets, 189.20 feet above datum.

Cook and North Park streets, 188.83 feet above datum.

Cook and Chatham streets, 187.31 feet above datum.

Cook and Pembroke streets, 178.39 feet above datum.

(6)

Broughton and Wharf streets, 120.41 feet above datum.

Broughton and Broad streets, 147.62 feet above datum.

(7)

Bastion Square and Wharf streets, 127.19 feet above datum.

Bastion Square and Police Alley, 138.57 feet above datum.

Bastion and Langley streets, 142.48 feet above datum.

(8)

Courtney and Wharf streets, 126.15 feet above datum.

Courtney and Gordon streets, 142.97 feet above datum.

(9)

Douglas street and Queens Avenue, 138.63 feet above datum.

Douglas street and Princess Avenue, 131.33 feet above datum.

Douglas and Pembroke streets, 123.21 feet above datum.

Douglas and Discovery streets, 125.35 feet above datum.

Douglas and Chatham streets, 135.92 feet above datum.

Douglas and Herald street, 151.17 feet above datum.

Douglas and Fisguard streets, 155.40 feet above datum.

Douglas and Cormorant streets, 154.43 feet above datum.

Douglas and Pandora streets, 154.39 feet above datum.

Douglas and Yates streets, 159.76 feet above datum.

Douglas and View streets, 158.19 feet above datum.

Douglas and Fort streets, 155.65 feet above datum.

Douglas and Broughton streets, 151.56 feet above datum.

Douglas and Kane streets, 150.25 feet above datum.

Douglas and Courtney streets, 142.29 feet above datum.

Douglas and Rae streets, 138.04 feet above datum.

Douglas and Humboldt streets, 125.05 feet above datum.

(10)

Fort and Wharf streets, 125.90 feet above datum.

Fort and Broad N streets, 130.25 feet above datum.

(11)

Cormorant and Store streets, 127.58 feet above datum.

Cormorant and Amelia streets, 179.50 feet above datum.

(12)

Franklin at 215 feet from Cook, 160.74 feet above datum.

Franklin and Cook streets, 151.90 feet above datum.

(13)

Government and Discovery streets, 117.29 feet above datum.

Government and Chatham streets, 126.91 feet above datum.

Government and Herald streets, 136.91 feet above datum.

Government and Fisguard streets, 143.26 feet above datum.

Government and Cormorant streets, 142.25 feet above datum.

Government and Yates streets, 143.62 feet above datum.

Government and Bastion streets, 150.04 feet above datum.

Government and Fort streets, 145.08 feet above datum.

Government and Broughton streets, 140.31 feet above datum.

Government and Courtney streets, 133.30 feet above datum.

Government and Wharf streets, 124.12 feet above datum.

(14)

John and Government streets, 145.12 feet above datum.

John and Rock Bay avenue, 131.81 feet above datum.

John and Bay avenue, 115.65 feet above datum.

On John, 1108 feet from Government street, 167.69 feet above datum.

John and Bridge streets, 113.04 feet above datum.

(15)

Johnson and Government streets, 142.66 feet above datum.

Johnson and Wharf streets, 119.05 feet above datum.

Johnson and Broad streets, 148.93 feet above datum.

Johnson and Douglas streets, 133.91 feet above datum.

Johnson and Blanchard streets, 137.77 feet above datum.

Johnson and Quadra streets, 162.36 feet above datum.

Johnson and Vancouver streets, 175.41 feet above datum.

Johnson and Cook streets, 172.42 feet above datum.

(16)

McClure and Humboldt streets, 137.61 feet bove datum.

On McClure street, at 908 feet from Vancouver street, 160.00 feet above datum.

(17)

Kingston and Montreal streets, 119.98 feet above datum.

Kingston and St. John streets, 116.23 feet above datum.

Kingston and Oswego streets, 110.14 feet above datum.

Kingston and Menzies streets, 121.75 feet above datum.

(18)

Menzies and Belleville streets, 116.84 feet above datum.

Menzies and Quebec streets, 122.99 feet above datum.

Menzies and Kingston streets, 121.75 feet above datum.

Menzies and Superior streets, 122.33 feet above datum.

Menzies and Toronto streets, 145.08 feet above datum.

Menzies and Niagara streets, 152.42 feet above datum.

Menzies street and Dallas Road, 132.90 feet above datum.

(19)

Michigan and St. Lawrence streets, 113.50 feet above datum.

Michigan and Oswego streets, 116.32 feet above datum.

Michigan and Menzies streets, 125.33 feet above datum.

Michigan and Princess streets, 127.13 feet above datum.

Michigan street and Bird Cage Walk, 135.13 feet above datum.

(20)

Oswego and Belleville streets, 114.60 feet above datum.

Oswego and Quebec streets, 119.52 feet above datum.

Oswego and Kingston streets, 110.14 feet above datum.

Oswego and Superior streets, 108.29 feet above datum.

Oswego and Michigan streets, 116.33 feet above datum.

Oswego and Simcoe streets, 121.58 feet above datum.

Oswego and Niagara streets, 115.32 feet above datum.

Oswego street and Dallas Road, 114.50 feet above datum.

On Oswego street at 409 feet from Dallas Road, 118.50 feet above datum.

(21)

Pembroke street at 300 feet from Blanchard street, 157.00 feet above datum.

(22)

Quadra street and Queen's Avenue, 159.08 feet above datum.

Quadra and Pembroke streets, 172.65 feet above datum.

Quadra and Green streets, 176.16 feet above datum.

Quadra and Chatham streets, 180.38 feet above datum.

Quadra and North Park streets, 183.41 feet above datum.

Quadra and Frederick streets, 183.91 feet above datum.

Quadra and Cormorant streets, 184.34 feet above datum.

Quadra and Mason streets, 179.09 feet above datum.

Quadra and Pandora W. streets, 170.59 feet above datum.

Quadra and Pandora E. streets, 171.59 feet above datum.

Quadra and Johnson streets, 168.56 feet above datum.

Quadra and Yates streets, 162.34 feet above datum.

Quadra and View streets, 159.59 feet above datum.

Quadra and Fort streets, 167.02 feet above datum.

Quadra and Moars streets, 172.41 feet above datum.

Quadra and Kane streets, 174.30 feet above datum.

Quadra and Coutts streets, 177.74 feet above datum.

Quadra and Ray streets, 179.12 feet above datum.

Quadra street and Burdette avenue, 186.59 feet above datum.

(23)

Quebec and Montreal streets, 121.41 feet above datum.

Quebec and St. John streets, 121.25 feet above datum.

On Quebec, 300 feet from Menzies street 155.62.

(24)

Rupert and Collinson streets, 146.05 feet above datum.

Rupert and Beechey streets, 140.67 feet above datum.

Rupert and Humboldt streets, 124.85 feet above datum.

(25)

Store and Discovery streets, 128.12 feet above datum.

Store and Chatham streets, 125.27 feet above datum.

Store and Herald streets, 126.91 feet above datum.

Store and Fisgard streets, 132.96 feet above datum.

Store and Cormorant streets, 137.58 feet above datum.

Store and Johnson streets, 137.15 feet above datum.

(26)

Superior and St. Lawrence streets, 117.26 feet above datum.

Superior and Montreal streets, 111.72 feet above datum.

Superior and Oswego streets, 108.28 feet above datum.

Superior and Menzies streets, 120.87 feet above datum.

Superior street and Bird Cage Walk, 133.53 feet above datum.

Superior street and Beacon Hill Park, 144.79 feet above datum.

(27)

Vancouver and St. Louis streets, 186.83 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Mason streets, 185.90 feet above datum.

Vancouver street and Pandora avenue, 182.84 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Yates streets, 164.20 feet above datum.

Vancouver and View streets, 156.01 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Fort streets, 159.79 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Moares streets, 163.32 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Belcher streets, 170.17 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Coutts streets, 170.80 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Bellot streets, 172.50 feet above datum.

Vancouver street and Burdette avenue, 173.29 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Scoresby streets, 163.30 feet above datum.

Vancouver and McClure streets, 159.50 feet aboye datum.

Vancouver and Richardson streets, 156.85 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Franklin streets, 160.52 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Labouchere streets, 149.08 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Parkington streets, 131.00 feet above datum.

Vancouver and Humboldt streets, 134.41 feet above datum.

(28)

View and Broad streets, 153.45 feet above datum.

(29)

Yates and Wharf streets, 126.77 feet above datum.

Yates and Broad streets, 155.58 feet above datum.

(30)

Elevation of northwest corner Government and Yates streets, 147.65 feet above datum.

Northwest corner Government and Johnson streets, 141.56 feet above datum.

Southwest corner Government and Cormorant streets, 141.15 feet above datum.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889.

Whereas it is expedient to amend "The Revenue By-Law 1889."

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Alderman of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Section nine of said "Revenue By-Law 1889" is hereby amended by striking out in the second line thereof the words "if running at large."

This By-Law may be cited as the Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law 1891.

Passed the Municipal Council this 18th day of February A. D. 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the 18th day of March A. D. 1891.

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WANTED—A good general servant in a small family. Apply between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. to Mrs. G. F. Mathews, 308 Dallas Road. mar25-tf

WANTED—A boy at Redfern's, 43 Government street. mar25-tf

WANTED—At once, a nurse for two children. Wages $20. No Chinaman employed. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m. and 5 and 6 p.m. at 112 Fort street. mar25-tf

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WANTED—A house and parlormaid. Apply to Mrs. Ward, Highwood, Moss St., between the hours of 10 and 2. mar24-tf

WANTED—Two waitresses at Saunders' Restaurant, 171 Government St. m24-4t

WILL investigate a good paying business for a few days requiring a small capital. Address B this office stating particulars. m23-1w

WANTED—Immediately, experienced bodice makers at Mrs. Willis, 125 Fort St. mar23-3t

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FOR SALE—One first class ¾ bred cow, will calf about March 25th; 3rd calf; first class milch cow; also a lot of ¾ Berkshire pigs, will be ready about the 15th of April. Address J.J. Russell, box 302. ma9-tf

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THE ONE LOT VOTE.

Mr. KITCHEN, in his measure to amend the Municipal Act, proposes to do away with the "lot" vote. Under the existing act, he who owns a dozen unimproved lots has a dozen votes, whereas the owner of a single lot, though it may be worth more than the whole dozen, has only one vote. An arrangement of this kind is altogether too thin and should be knocked in the head. It is doubtful, though, if the measure will carry. There are too many unimproved town lot owners in the House, and it is notorious that the "servants of the people" never sanction measures opposed to their own private interests.

SIMPLY A DIAGNOSIS.

Regarding Mr. BLAKE's letter, "what is the gentleman's crime?" asks E. W. THOMPSON in the Toronto World. "Was his letter simply a diagnosis of the commercial position of the body-politic and a scientific demonstration of the poisonous quality of one of the nostrums offered for its cure?" That was just exactly what the character of the gentleman's letter was, a diagnosis. But the physician declined to prescribe. He seemed to regard the patient hopelessly to the decline. "No one," continues the critic, "has even tried to invalidate Mr. BLAKE's reasoning." That is true, particularly as regards his arraignment of National Policy. Mr. BLAKE is great at diagnosing, but when it comes to prescribing, he is like the man who builds a bridge, but who is afraid to cross it.

A PRESUMPTUOUS JUDGE.

The Supreme Court of Newfoundland decided the case of BAIRD vs. WALKER in favor of the plaintiff. The case deserves recapitulation. The facts, briefly, are these: The British Government conceded to French citizens an exclusive right to can lobsters on a certain specified portion of the coast of Newfoundland. The French Government granted a bounty to lobster canners, which enabled them to drive others canners out of the European markets. The Newfoundlanders rebelled, and one BAIRD established a cannery on the ground allotted to the French. A captain of a British man-of-war landed marines and destroyed the cannery. For this BAIRD sued the captain for damages, and the Supreme Court of the Colony decided in his favor. Discussing the question, the San Francisco Call remarks:

"The ground taken by the court is novel and striking. The Chief Justice held that the treaty-making power of the crown was a limited power, and could not affect the rights of subjects until the provisions of the treaty had been embodied in an act of Parliament. A treaty made by the crown in time of peace did not authorize an officer to do an act which, in the absence of a treaty, would be a tort. In other words, the rights of British subjects cannot be impaired by any arrangement between their sovereign and a foreign sovereign; nothing can affect them but a law made by themselves through their representatives in the Legislature. This is sound doctrine, and will be no novelty to Americans, but it is rather startling as coming from a British court, speaking as an expounder of the Constitution of England. In this country no treaty can go into effect until it has been ratified by the Senate, and has thus become, in a sense, the act of the people. In Great Britain the crown, through its Ministers, has always enjoyed exclusive right of concluding all treaties without the consent or advice of Parliament. It is now settled, if the Newfoundland decision stands the test of an appeal to the Privy Council, that such treaties, though binding on the Government, are not binding on the subject until he has assented to them through his representatives in Parliament."

It does not appear, however, that the decision of the colonial court will help the Newfoundlanders any. A bill is to be introduced into Parliament to enforce the agreement with France, and it will probably pass, and then, by the authority of a power on the other side of the ocean, a party of foreigners will be confirmed in the exclusive occupation of one of the best lobster stations on the coast. It is no wonder the Newfoundlanders are angry.

WHAT SIR CHARLES TUPPER COSTS CANADA.

High Commissioner's salary	$10,[illegible] 00
Allowance to Sir Charles Tupper	2,[illegible]
Salaries of clerks, etc., in office	7,477 [illegible]
Aid to distressed Canadians	25 33
Bardett's official intelligence	6 80
Cables and telegrams	195 55
Cabs and travel	[illegible] 83
Carpentering	67 20
Commission on postal orders	17 09
Directory of directories, 2 copies	4 86
Fire insurance premiums	48 05
Freight and warehousing	73 87
Gas to March, 1889	14 94
Gratuity to Mrs Wilkinson	68 13
Gratuities to postmen and others	29 57
Ground rent of official residence	332 15
House duty and tax	97 33
Houskeeping, D. Whitney	69 85
Income tax, High Com	250 00
Lettering boxes	4 86
London postoffice directory	7 90
Messenger's season railway ticket	3[illegible] 40
Newspapers	1 00
Newspaper cuttings and mounting	24 30
Parliamentary papers	18 20
Parocial rates on official residence	349 40
Postage, London post office	483 02
Postage stamps and unpaid postage	342 03
Porterage	5 47
Repairs to house	62 79
Repairing furniture and [illegible] the [illegible]	97 33
Stationery	459 60
Stock exchange year book, 2 copies	7 30
Subscription to Ashburn Gardens	10 95
Subscription to Colonial Institute	9 73
Sundry supplies for office	91 00
Typewriter repairs	5 29
Victoria Chambers, rent and heating, one year	2,780 52
Winding and regulating clock	10 34
Total	$25,570 04

There are some items in this bill which, if they were submitted to our local Department of Education, would be disallowed. "Honest JOHN" would scarcely pass "cabs," and in the matter of "gratuity to Mrs. WILKINSON," he would hold up his hands in horror. Nor would "Honest JOHN" permit to be audited the newspaper bill except that it referred to the Colonist and the Vancouver World, and it is doubtful whether he would pass the subscription to the "Ashburn Gardens" and that of the "Colonial Institute." "Honest JOHN would hold, and properly too, that Sir CHARLES should have paid these subscriptions out of his own pocket. As for "winding and regulating clock," what kind of a timepiece is it that the female members of Sir CHARLES' household are unable to wind and regulate? It should appear that Sir CHARLES' housekeeper has become as degenerate as himself, and so poor Canada foots the bills.

CANADA'S FUTURE.

TO THE EDITOR:—I have no apology to make in submitting for the consideration of your readers a few lines on the, to my mind, inevitable destiny of Canada. I do so believing that we, as a people, should realize our true position as soon as possible, and that we should not continue to deceive ourselves with vain notions about our greatness and capabilities. What we lack most is candor with ourselves. We are continually beating about the bush, both Conservatives and Liberals alike, and we do not appear to have the courage to say what any man with an ounce of common sense knows to be the case, viz., that Canada left as she is now must always continue a Lazarus at the rich man's gate. Witness the two Lazaruses, Tupper and Thompson, going to Washington now where, in all likelihood, the crumbs of reciprocity will be denied them.

It is now generally admitted by all that Confederation has not been a success and never can be made a success as far as the Dominion is concerned. Not that the principle of Confederation is wrong in itself. In most cases the principle is good. But in our case climate and geography are against us. We can never make the confederation of the provinces a success for the simple reason that our Dominion consists of habitable territory about four thousand miles long, averaging about a hundred miles wide, consisting of seven provinces and the so-called territories, all disconnected by water, barren wastes, lakes and mountains — our provinces are situated so far from each other that they can be of little value to each other in the way of trade. And we have only one climate (if we except that of lower British Columbia) and one railway to connect the Dominion together, with no competition in our carrying trade. The result of this is, our provinces do not do a profitable business with each other, for the reason that distance, similarity of production, geography and want of competition are against us.

We differ in this respect from the United States, where every state from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the St. Lawrence to the Gulf of Mexico, hangs one upon the other in every direction, consequently every state is benefitted by the trade of the adjoining state, and at the same time they have every kind of climate and territory, which makes their confederation a success.

The government of Canada expended nearly two hundred million dollars building the Canadian Pacific railway to connect all the provinces together in one grand whole, and at the same time to build up what they called a New Nationality. But what has already been the result of all this vast expenditure? The Manitobans revolted against the Dominion government in its attempt to preserve a monopoly for the C. P. R., in that province and built a competing railway in order to allow trade to flow through its natural channel, and to enable them to buy and to sell in their natural market. Let the reader observe, our provinces are too much isolated from each other. Our habitable territory is too long and narrow. We have no backbone, as it were, to keep the body together. If we could double up there would be some chance for success, but separated as we are we have nothing in common with each other. No national patriotism, no love of country, and all that we can be called by foreigners is "Colonists." When parliament meets at Ottawa how plain it is that we have no love of country. The efforts of our members are not directed to the higher and nobler aims of building up a "New Nationality," but parliament dwindles into a kind of gambling game as to who will get the most out of the Dominion treasury.

We have been confederated over twenty years, and what do we find? We are burdened with an eno[rmous] debt, without the prospect of ev[er] ing a corresponding profit f[or] money expended. No one on V[ancou]ver Island, I suppose, will deny[.] We have a confederation of [the] utterly dissatisfied, with one hal[f the] population calling the oth[er] "annexationists and traitors." [We are] all in an unsettled state, not k[nowing] what is to be our destiny.

The time has arrived in the his[tory of] this country when some change [in our] system of government must b[e made.] We cannot always remain [in de]pendency of Great Britain[. We] must be prepared to dispose [of our]selves in some way. Independ[ence is] advocated by some parties. If [so,] it would scarcely put an end [to the] difficulties which arise between [us and] the United States, although th[e num]ber would be greatly reduced[. It is] true we could make our own t[reaties,] but our situation would not be ch[anged;] geography would still be against [us.]

Commercial Union has been [advo]cated with great force, but w[e can]not look upon Commercial Uni[on as a] final settlement of all difficulties [which] have arisen, and which would a[rise be]tween the two countries. If com[mercial] union were agreed upon betw[een the] two countries it would only b[e for a] term of years. When the te[rm ex]pired one of the parties to th[e treaty] would refuse to continue it, a[nd] all the commercial relations wh[ich the] treaty had built up would be "k[nocked] into a cocked hat." Such a [state] would be not only unsatisfact[ory but] ruinous to the people of [Canada] generally. What we want ar[e trade] relations with the United State[s] on a satisfactory basis, and not [liable] of being changed, without war[ning, at] the caprice of any political par[ty.] capitalists or business man wo[uld fear] to invest in any great enterpris[e while] business was on so unsatisfa[ctory a] basis. A great deal of troubl[e at] present time arises from the f[act that] capitalists both in the United [States] and Great Britain have no fait[h in the] permanency of our institutions[. Can]adians themselves have small [faith in] these institutions, and Canadi[ans and] Englishmen alike invest more [money] in American securities than i[n those] of their own country.

To settle our commercial r[elations] with the United States on a fi[xed and] satisfactory basis, and settle a[ll ques]tions both civil and military [for all] time to come, and put us bey[ond] doubt of having difficulty with [the] great power on the America[n conti]nent, requires a political u[nion be]tween Canada and the Unite[d States.] I have no doubt, in my mind, [that it] is the destiny of Canada and th[e United] States in the near future.

And the union of the Unite[d States] and Canada, let me solemnly [say, will] no doubt be the beginning of [a union] between all the great English-s[peaking] people of the globe, whom G[od has] designed to speak peace to [the] world, not by force of arms but [by] the everlasting gospel. More [anon.]
CANA[DIAN.]

Senator HOWLAN who res[igned to] contest Prince Co., P.E.I., and [was de]feated, has been re-appointed by Sir JOHN MACDONALD.

Italy—Blaina!
Jim Blaine—Yes, your war-s[hip?]
Italy—I wanta two, tree, fou[r] dolla for killa my manna by Yankee at a New Orleans—See[?]
Blaine—All right, your war-[ship;] send check instantly.

It would be a notable sight t[o see the] Italian man-of-war Peanutta, [with her] bigga gunna pointing at Ne[w York,] and Jim Blaine skirmishing a[round to] raise a few million dollars t[o meet] Garibald's demand for recomp[ense for] the New Orleans lynching.—Spectator.

PASSENGERS.

Per Sir Walla Walla from San F[rancisco]—O C Bunster E S M Judson, Mis[s] [illegible]worth, Miss Cameron, Miss Spencer, [illegible]son, M Williams, R G Jones, C W H[illegible] A Gowan, Mrs S Anderson.

Per Steamer Islander from Va[ncouver]—J Bebker, S Woods, Miss Lily Card, [illegible] H Grant, Dr J W Lefebre, F M Y[illegible] Clarh, T F Sinclair, Ben Roung, K[illegible] Springer, M H Cowan, B T Rogers, [illegible]man, J M Boyd, Miss Major, Miss B[illegible] Miss Wright, Miss Sadie Clark, H H[illegible] H B Warren, R A Preston, Mrs W[illegible] Bernor, C H Strutt, G L Berteaux, J[illegible] James Heard, N Gauvereaux, C[illegible] Jones and wife, H N Craig, L H Jen[illegible] Thomas Grice, S Frost, Ada E C[illegible] Dart, Maggie Clark, John Grice.

Per steamer Danube from [illegible]—K Cunningham, Mrs Clugh, A Gr[illegible] Clamhew, W Matthews, P Jacobson[illegible] land, H New.

Per Stmr City of Kingston from t[he Sound]—L J Carlson, W O Clements, A Loff[illegible] Rodway and family, J P Nichols an[d] L Ropolk and wife, Miss Sprague, W[illegible] Cabe, William Pottle, J E Stewa[rt] Adam, G W Gunn, L F McConiche, [illegible] John McLeod, John Robertson, E M[illegible] Barrett, W F Burke, A Matheson[illegible] Mrs Bordwell, Frank Salmon, Mrs [illegible] Mrs Heilmeister, A W Perry and [illegible] Grant, J Johnson, Mrs Neufelder, [illegible] J Nichols, F W Clemson, George [illegible] Boden, P Lyon, R Zedler, F J Cli[illegible] McIntyre, Miss Jepson A H Stiffe[illegible] E N Jenway, H McKee, F H Osgo[od] [illegible]van, J Yerkon, J Gregor, John Th[illegible] Gliver and wife, E Ulin, Miss Ulin, [illegible] Reidmore.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Sir Walla Walla from San [Francisco]—New Westminster—A Hamilton, A[illegible] & Co, Brackman & Ker, B T Ande[rson] [illegible]ington, B Bertocelic, Ben Gordon, [illegible] Stamford, Barney Levy, Brown Bro[s] Munsie, Cochrane & Munn, Columb[ia] company, C W Rogers, Cowan & [illegible] Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, [illegible] E G Prior & Co, Fell & Co, Fairall [illegible] Scott, Henry Saunders, H Cooly, [illegible] Phillips & son, Hop Chong, Hong L[illegible] Bay Company, J & A Clearihue, [illegible] Son, J Shurbori, J Meston, J [illegible] J Coughlin, J Leahy, J Jones, J F [illegible] Kum Fook Yuen, L Dickenson, Law[illegible] ance, Lawrence & McCulloch, [illegible] ley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, Mee [illegible] Matthews Richards & Tye, Nichol[illegible] Order F Gable, P McQuade & [illegible] Ward & Co, Rev M Hatchet, R J [illegible] Baker and Son, R H Jamieson & C[illegible] son, R V Winch, R P Rithet[illegible] Rithet & Co, Spratt & Gray, S C[illegible] Leiser, T McLaughlin, Thomas [illegible] Hibben & Co, Turner Beeton & Co, [illegible] Holden Company, T F Sinclair, Te[illegible] Fletcher, Vain & Brooke, W Croft, [illegible] W Wayward, W Grimes, W & [illegible] Young & Hickel, Yuen Ling, [illegible] Wells Fargo Co.

Per Stmr City of Kingston from [the Sound]—John Parker, Lewis Coplin, E G Pr[ior] Mrs S Shanks, Gordon & Co, Turn[er] Co, T W Fletcher, John Weiler, [illegible] Son, Singer Mfg Co, Simon Leiser, [illegible] M Kannaird, J Thompson, H H [illegible] McDonald, Mrs Neatte.

Per Steamer Islander from V[ancouver]—J A T Caton, J McKillop, John W[illegible] man and Ker, J Sehl, Fell & Co, [illegible] J H Todd & Son, Lenz & Leiser, [illegible] David Spencer, Langley and Co, [illegible] Carne, W Prout, L Dickenson, [illegible] G C Shaw, Brown and White, [illegible] R P Rithet, Vain and Brooke, [illegible] press Company.

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1 Lot, Beacon street	1150
1 Lot, Croft street,	900

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A QUESTION OF WATER POWER.

A Claim that Misrepresentations Were Made Regarding the Same.

A case came before Mr. Justice Drake and a special jury to-day in which Mr. Geo. H. Wilson-Brown enters action against Messrs. A. Beanlands, W. J. Goepel, J. Brady and W. H. Ellis for the balance of the money due on a parcel of land sold by the plaintiff to the defendants. Messrs. Theo. Davie, Q. C., and Bodwell & Irving appeared for the plaintiff, Messrs. Walker & Pemberton for the defendants.

The defendants claim that the purchase of the plaintiff's farm was made with the understanding that a certain water power sufficiently powerful to operate the machinery of the Alderly terra cotta works existed on it. It is claimed now, that after due experiment and trial the power is not sufficient, and therefore they decline to pay the balance of the purchase money.

The property consists of between 600 and 700 acres of land and the price which was to have been paid was $60,000 Two thousand dollars was paid at the time of the sale and $10,000 which is due now is the amount that is being sued for.

The plaintiff claims that his part of the agreement has been fulfilled, and prays for the payment. Hence the suit, which at the hour of going to press had not been decided.

Trout! Trout!

"Morton House," Shawnigan Lake, Good Friday, 27th inst. Special arrangements have been made for the entertainment of guests on the above day. A first-class colored cook has been engaged, and the bill of fare will be complete in every detail.

As trout fishing in the waters of the lake is particularly good just now there will be plenty of sport for all. Dinner from 12 noon until evening. *

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A DEAL IN SUGAR.

Cash Made by Shipping it to Victoria and then Re-shipping it.

Yesterday 1800 barrels of sugar was brought to Victoria by the steamer Walla Walla and discharged at the outer wharf, consigned to local dealers. This large shipment of sugar is the result of the new United States tariff regarding sugar which goes into effect April 1st, and which makes all sugar imported into the United States after that date free of duty, and also free from duty all shipments on the way to the States before the 1st of April.

The present shipment is sugar which was in bond in 'Frisco, and which has been shipped in bond here, where it lies in bond until after the first of April, when it will be re-shipped to Puget Sound ports, and thus a saving of nearly two cents a pound is made less the expense of handling the cargo of sugar. The amount made by the deal will be in the neighborhood of $700 on this lot alone, and other cargoes are to be shipped for the same purpose, and the whole transaction is one of those commercial deals by which a profit is made by spending money.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Large line of Art Squares at Hastie & Erskine's. *

Cheap sideboards and bedroom suites at Hastie & Erskine's. *

An all day convention for the deepening of spiritual life was held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms yesterday.

Another commodious hall for public meetings. See Lyceum. *

The work of Easter decoration has commenced in several of the churches.

Martin the terror to high priced men, 47 Johnston street. *

The postponed annual general meeting of the B. C. Rifle Association will be held this evening in Flint & Williams' office.

New and Elegant line of Brussels and Tapestry Carpets just arrived at Hastie & Erskine's. *

The steamer Walla Walla which arrived from 'Frisco last evening, brought 400 tons of sugar for local dealers.

A carload of Fine Goods in antique and old English oak, just received by Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

The most unique article in furniture yet shown is the "Parlor Mantel Folding Bed," at Hastie & Erskine's. Call and see them *

A meeting of the building committee of the B. C. Agricultural Society is called for to-morrow evening at the office of Dalby, Ballentyne and Claxton.

Razors and a complete line of shaving materials always on hand at Fox's, 78 Government street.

A new lot of the "Gold Medal" Carpet Sweepers, the best in the world, at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Heath's autoharps are the best. He teaches anyone to play before they purchase. Lessons and tuning at residence when requested. Call at the Driard 5 to 8 p. m. m24-3t

The choir of the Roman Catholic Cathedral are practicing Millard's mass in "G" for Easter Sunday morning, when there will be Pontifical high mass.

Men's and Boys' Suits, at cost, at Martins, 47 Johnson street. We must make room for our spring stock.

Inserted and linen warp Japanese mattings are the latest novelty in these goods, and the ladies will appreciate their usefulness and cleanliness. Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Steamboat men all over the province will hear with regret of the death of Captain Christian Meyers, who has been running on the Fraser river for over twenty years.

A very pleasant private dancing party was held at Harmony Hall last evening, about twenty couples being present, and the merriment was kept up until the early hours of the morning.

A fine Indian tea blended with Young Hyson makes one of the pleasantest mild drinking teas to be had, and the purity of Indian tea, making it commendable to the public. Sold at 50c. per box. R. H. Jamieson, 33 Fort St.

At a meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, held last evening, a resolution of condolence was passed and addressed to A. Lee, brother of the late Wm. Lee, who died a few days ago.

For Sale—Cottage and lot on Boyd street, James Bay. $1,000 in cash. Apply to Routledge & Company, real estate brokers, Government street. mar24-1w

The Queen City Building Society helps you to save money. It will aid you in building a house. You may by its means become your own landlord. Prospectus & Bylaws at 46 Fort street

The services in the churches on Palm Sunday were of an ordinary character. Great preparations are, however, being made for Easter services. All the choirs are hard at practice, most of them having special services for the "Happy Morn."

ELECTRICITY IN MINING.

The New Vancouver Coal Co. the First to Apply it in Canada

Mr. John S. Anderson, district manager for British Columbia of the Edison Electric Co., was in the city to-day, and leaves to-night for Portland, where the head office of the western business is located.

Speaking to a TIMES reporter to-day Mr. Anderson said that all arrangements had been completed with Mr. S. M. Robins, the manager for the New Vancouver Coal Company, for the installation at the mines of the first electric mining tramway in Canada. The plant, of which the first installment will cost $20,000, consists of an 80-horse power generator, and two 30-horse power electric locomotives, each of which will haul at a speed of nine miles an hour 150 loaded coal cars.

Beside the electric tramway, other generators will be used to furnish a current for lights in the mines, 600 of which will be used. The same current will also be employed in working electric coal drills and cutters. The cost of operating the tramway is guaranteed to be no more than with the present steam engines, while the efficiency will be increased four fold.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

M. King has gone to Comox.

B. Springer, of Moodyville, is in the city.

W. H. Ladner returned home this morning.

R. J. Skinner, of Vancouver, is at the Oriental.

H. Bell-Irving, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

F. H. Osgood, of Seattle, came over last evening.

Mrs. Neufelder, of Seattle, is visiting friends in the city.

D. J. Munn left for home by the Islander this morning

F. York, stevedore, returned to Moodyville this morning.

W. E. Osterhout, of Fairhaven, but formerly of this city, is in town.

J. W. Glaholm and J. Dedker, of Nanaimo, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. McIntyre and Miss McIntyre, of Port Townsend, are over on a visit.

R. Patterson, of Miller & Richards, Toronto, was a passenger on the outgoing San Francisco steamer to-day.

Henry Jacoby's many friends will be glad to learn that he is at present located at Chicago, Ill., establishing a wholesale branch for Messrs. F. Korbel & Bros., the well known wine growers and manufacturers of California, in preparation for the World's Fair, 1893. Messrs. Korbel's wines are well known in Victoria.

WHERE SEALS BREED.

An Interesting Letter From a Victoria Sealing Captain.

An interesting controversy regarding the birth of seals has been going on for some time between Judge Swan and Professor Eliot. So far the judge seems to have the best of the argument, and the following letter from Captain Lloyd on the subject adds to the testimony already given on the judge's side. Capt. Lloyd is well known in this section, and his evidence is of great weight:

Victoria, B. C. March 18, 1891.

HON. JUDGE JAMES SWAN: Dear Sir—According to promise, I write to you my observations of seal life in the North Pacific. In regard to the birth of the fur seal outside of Behring sea, I think it will be very difficult to find any man who has actually seen the birth of any seal. But we can arrive at facts in another way. The fur seal are supposed to be all in Behring sea in July, and stay there until the first snow makes. Now, it is a well-known fact that thousands of them never go to Behring sea, for, they are to be seen, of all ages, in Queen Charlotte sound, Dixon's entrance, along the coast of Prince of Wales island and Bananaff island, all through the breeding season, of June, July, August and September, in fact the whole year round.

Where these seal give birth to their pups, whether in the kelp or on some of the outlying rocks, I cannot say. But seals, like other wild animals, adapt themselves to their environments. It's very wrong to study the habits of an animal in one locality, and say these are his habits, for the same animal will have entirely different habits in another locality, but a few miles away, without any apparent difference in the conditions surrounding him.

I will tell you what I saw myself about the birth of common hair seal. I had often wondered where the hair seal gave birth to its young in these latitudes, but never had the good fortune to see it until 1864, in the month of August, I came to anchor in a bay just north of Point Francis, in Bellingham Bay, Wash. There is a small sandy island in the bay about six feet high, with a long sand spit running from it for about 400 yards, that is covered with water at high tide. The extreme outer end of the spit is a little higher than the other part of it. On this end there was built an old fashioned Indian seal trap. The spit was dry when I anchored, so I landed and walked out to see this piece of Indian ingenuity, for I had never seen one before, but had been told by Indians of their catching seal by that method. The next morning when I came on deck I looked toward the end of the spit and there seemed to be an island there of about an acre in extent. I was perfectly astonished for I knew that there could be no island there for the spit would be submerged at that stage of the tide. But after a while when there was more daylight, I saw the heads of the seals moving about. I then knew that it was a herd of seals, but I had never seen such a pack of seals together in these waters before. I was at a loss to know what they were doing there. I took my rifle and went in my boat towards them to try and get a shot, but they saw me and scrambled into deep water. I then saw there were hundreds of pups amongst them. It was comical to see the little things when they first went into the water, their little black heads bobbing up and down, and some would climb on their mother's back and look like young monkeys.

They played around for about half an hour and then left. I then landed on the spit and walked the whole length of it. There was then from three to four inches of water all over it, and I picked up four still born pups, so it was evident to me that they had come there to have their pups, and all gave birth that night, for there were no seals there when I came there, nor were there any there afterwards, for I was there for three days. I afterwards saw a similar thing on Smith's island spit.

Now there is no question but these seals gave birth to their young in from three to four inches of water, for the tide covered the spit all night.

The reason the pup seal is not seen swimming with its mother is, that they leave them in the vicinity of some rock until they are through suckling. I have picked up many of them that way, that were too young to eat until they were taught.

Hoping that this will give you some scientific light, I am your sincere friend,

H. H. LLOYD.

Auction Sale To-Morrow.

The Sale of H. Jewell's stock will be continued to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock on the premises, corner of Yates and Douglas Streets. The stock consists of crockery, glassware, furniture etc.

Merchants Luncheon.

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AT 8 P.M.,

Wednesday, March 25, 1891

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Mar. 24-tf.

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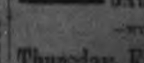

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GREAT BARREN GROUNDS.

A TWO YEARS' TRIP TO THE ICY INTERIOR.

Mr. Warburton M. Pike Returns From the Great Slave Country After An Adventurous and Perilous Trip—A Wild and Cold Land—Starvation.

That part of British North American between the Peace River district and the Hudson Bay is a terra incognita to most people, as hardy indeed must be the traveler who would venture into its solitudes. Mr. Warburton M. Pike, of Saturna Island, B.C., a gentleman who has recently returned from the far north, however, had both the hardihood and the endurance to penetrate "the home of the North Wind," his ardent love of sport and his fondness of adventure being the incentive. While a complete record of his remarkable journey would read marvellously like a story of the imagination, it would, nevertheless, be but a truthful account of how British pluck and love of seeing strange places, remote from civilization, had carried the representative of an old English family into the almost inaccessable portions of an unknown land.

Mr. Warburton Pike is a gentleman well known to most Victorians, and his ardent love of sport is also a ruling passion with him. Having scoured nearly all the hills and vallevs of British Columbia in search of game, like Alexander, he sighed for other fields to conquer, and early in 1889 he conceived the idea of penetrating the great barren region which lies to the northwards and eastwards of the Great Slave Lake. Making ready for the trip, by the purchase of such articles as long experience dictated, Mr. Pike left Victoria in June, 1889, and proceeded to Calgary by the C.P.R., from which point he started northwards, up through Edmonton and on to Athabasca to the Great Slave Lake, reaching Fort Resolution, the most northerly of the Hudson Bay posts, in August of 1889, and after over a year's roughing it returned the other evening to Victoria, well in health, but bronzed and thin by exposure and privations, and with a fund of experience rarely gained by man.

Mr. Pike was met yesterday evening at the Union Club by a TIMES reporter, and kindly gave a short sketch of his travels. Were Mr. Pike of the pattern of Stanley his narrative would fill this whole paper, but being of a reserved disposition, and disliking anything like show, he is somewhat reticent in referring to himself. But enough was gathered from his remarks to show that his experiences must nave been thrilling to say the least.

When this daring sportsman left Fort Resolution in August, 1889, he had a party of guides and servants, the goal of the expedition being the Great Barren Grounds, which vast domain covers thousands of square miles between the Great Slave Lake and the Hudson's Bay. The country there is, as the name implies, barren. Undulating, and devoid of any strikingly grand scenery, the country is a mass of grey rocks, covered in sheltered places by moss, low willows and lichens, with here and there patches of stunted trees. Rivers and lakes break the surface of the country, which is given over to the wild beasts and a few Indian hunters, although Mr. Pike and his party went further afield than the latter ever do. Game of a kind to make the blood of a true sportsman tingle with delight was here in plenty. Caribou deer, the true musk ox and barren ground deer, roam these vast solitudes, their native wildness seldom broken in upon by a human visitor. Speaking of the musk ox, Mr. Pike says that, instead of being the buffalo-like animal which is the generally accepted idea, it is a small but wiry beast, full of fight at close quarters, about the size of a yearling calf. The barren ground deer are a species of reindeer, much like the Norway reindeer. Of these Mr. Pike secured many trophies, and one musk ox is mounted at the Provincial Museum, the skin of which was sent down from Fort Resolution by him last summer. These trips to the Barren Grounds extended over months, during which time the party depended upon pemmican and their rifles for food, eating "straight meat," as Mr. Pike explained it.

The life was a rough one, there being no companionship of man save an occasional meeting with small bands of Dogribs and Yellow Knives, the Indians of that section, who are of a tall, robust type, far different from the coast tribes. Returning to Fort Resolution in the middle of the winter, he put in the remainder of the season there, shooting wolves and bears in the woods around the fort. In the spring of 1890 he started for the Great Fish River, where he found moose and bear very plentiful. The trips were made on dog-sleds, which the deep snow made the best way of travelling. The winters were long, snow and ice taking full control in September, and not releasing the country till July. The summers were very short and hot, and the musquitoes were simply awful. Timber in that region is of no commercial value, being a stunted growth of small poplar and pine. Minerals are apparently plentiful, copper and iron traces being seen, but no gold or silver of consequence. The rivers and lakes are stocked with trout and white fish, which can easily be caught with nets. A few potatoes and vegetables are raised around the trading posts, but agriculture is very limited.

In the fall of '90 Mr. Pike started out with four guides and servants, intending to follow the Peace river up to its headquarters, where he would find Fort McLeod, from whence he would have taken the H. B. Co's. trail to Quesnelle, and thence down to the coast. The party started with eight days provisions, but when six days out met rotten ice, and canoe navigation was impossible, so they started back. Here is where the trouble commenced. The ice was too soft to walk on and too heavy for the canoe to pass through. The swiftness of the current kept it from freezing, and the party took to the shore. In places the river swept through terrific canyons and detours had to be made. Then they got lost, and it was 32 days before Fort Resolution was reached again. The party suffered terribly, being obliged to throw away their blankets and guns and every thing else heavy in order to better struggle through the snow. At times the river would be reached, and where the current was slower the ice would be taken to. Occasionally the ice would break and then the discomfort of being wet was added to cold and hunger. Indomitable pluck alone kept them up, and thirty-two days after they left, Fort Resolution was reached, with all nearly dead from hunger and exposure. Another day or two would have finished them and it took a month's nursing to recuperate. Mr. Pike then started for Victoria, which he reached safely after two years absence from civilization, he having gone as far north as 63 degrees north latitude.

While on the terrible tramp back from Peace river, Mr. Pike dropped his valuable diary of the trip, and consequently a complete record of his adventures is thus lost. Enough has been gathered, however, to show that the country is only fit for wild beasts and Indians.

Since his absence Mr. Pike has noticed a wonderful growth in Victoria, and he says he is quite astonished at it. He just now has no settled idea of any more such tramps, and will for a time at least enjoy the pleasures of his club and the society of his fellow man, although no doubt another trip will eventually be taken by him to some hitherto unexplored part of the globe, for traveler like, he is restless and fond of adventure.

CHINESE BEHEADERS

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The following telegraphic dispatch indicates that the old story of "going from home to hear the news," is still in full force:

OTTAWA, March 23.—A detective who recently visited British Columbia on business for the government stated to-day that during his stay in Victoria he saw enough to convince him that the Chinese in that province were administering punishment under their own civil and criminal code. He said he had learned of two cases in which criminals had been tried under their code and secretly beheaded, unknown to the local authorities. He is of the opinion that many Chinese are thus dealt with on the Pacific coast, of whom the local authorities never hear.

Just how it is that the government detective became conversant with the cases is hard to imagine, as the police here know nothing of the practice and scout the idea as preposterous.

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2 lots, Craigflower r'd each	300
2 lot Powderly Ave. West Victoria	350
1 lot Belton Ave. West Victoria	425
1 lot corner Belton Avenue and Craigflower road	600
1 lot on Craigflower road, near Pine street	525
½ acre cor. Tolmie Ave.	630
¼ acre Tolmie estate	900
1 lot Rock Bay	750
1 acre Esquimalt road	2,625
1½ acres old Esquimalt Road	2,750
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CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR.

The Hess Opera Company Play Their Best Piece Last, and Bid Victoria Farewell.

Saturday night the Hess opera company created a good impression; Monday night the public felt that there was at last a thoroughly musical organization occupying the theatre, and last night, the final one of the engagement, it was realized that the company possessed more than all the necessary qualifications of a grand opera troupe. The performance by them of Donizetti's Lucia di Lammermoor, convinced the public of this fact. There is nothing "weird" in this opera. Grand opera need not necessarily be weird or dramatically tragic. Lucia is a captivating work from first to last, although of course there is tragedy in it. But the music has a sweet charm which strips death of its terror and concentrates the interest notwithstanding. There is not the shadow of a doubt but that, had the company announced this their only piece for the engagement, they would have found it necessary to announce "standing room only." However, they have had large and appreciative audiences throughout the season.

Miss Guthrie is not merely a vocal or dramatic artiste. She has a refined conception of the art of dressing. Her costumes in the first and second acts last evening were perfect pictures, showing how, without absurd and distasteful extravagance, a woman can dress and be a queen. Some operatic stars dazzle their audience with lavish display of jewelry and dress. Miss Guthrie last evening dressed richly, but in splendid taste, and wore just sufficient diamonds and jewelry to set off the costume to advantage. Vocally she surpassed all her previous efforts. The music, and the lines falling to her, were such as to bring out all her talents to the best possible advantage, and she responded by rising to a height of sublimity that astonished and electrified the audience. It was thought that she shone at her best in the second act, when a delighted but cruel audience positively demanded an encore of one passage which formed a grand but very difficult number. It is not usual for an audience to do this, but the request was so pronounced that she graciously responded. She rose to greater dramatic and musical heights in the third act, particularly in the mad scene. The walls of the Victoria were made to shake, so grand was the outburst of applause at the close of the sextette in the second act, after the signing of that fatal marriage contract. Mr. Bovet sang in superb voice, Mr. Mertens was better than ever, while Miss Dreyer, Mr. Butat, Mr. Read and Mr. Modanesi and the chorus all plucked new laurels in this, the last number played by the company.

Miss Guthrie gave a half promise last night, in response to earnest requests, that the company would play here again on their return, which will be in the course of a month or so, and if she should wholly fulfil that promise she may depend on even warmer support from the public of Victoria.

Last night closed undoubtedly the best and most finished opera season that Victoria has witnessed for a long time.

The Fishermen.

Trains will be run regular holiday hours on Good Friday over the E. & N. road, and if the weather is good, no doubt a large number of fishing parties will seize the opportunity to have a try at the finny denizens of Shawigan and the other lakes.

Agency.

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A Pleasant Affair.

The Beaconsfield club made a grand success of their first supper and ball which was held in Philharmonic Hall last evening. About one hundred couple were on the floor, and from the time of starting until early this morning they danced and enjoyed themselves to the strains of Bautley's orchestra. Everything had been nicely arranged for the occasion so that there was not a hitch during the evening. At midnight a supper was served and like the ball, was also a success. The committee of management was composed of M. Haskins, D. Phillips, and Miss K. Davis; floor managers, D. Phillips and J. Bollock; floor committee, P. Davies, B. Phillips.

Arrives too Late.

For the past week or two many have been the complaints made by passengers on the Islander from Vancouver of the lateness of the hour at which that steamer arrives at Victoria. Many who have desired to catch the Sound steamer leaving at 8 p.m. have been unable to do so, and have thereby been put to a great deal of trouble. The blame does not lie with the C.P.N. Co., who have repeatedly drawn the attention of the C.P.R. to the matter. The reason of the delay is the late arrival of the trains from the east. It is rumored that unless a change is soon made in the way things are running, that another boat will be put on for the local trade, as the majority of the travelling public are making strong objections to the present arrangements.

Police Notes.

Riley Robins paid another reluctant visit to the police cells last night, and was charged this morning with vagrancy. He was discharged on promising to go to work. Two drunks paid $5 each, and a keeper of a bawdy house $50 in the shape of fines.

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Social Dance.

One of the events of next week will be the social dance to be held in Philharmonic Hall on Tuesday evening, by Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F. A good committee has got the affair in hand and they, like on all former occassions, will make it a success.

Who's the Perjurer?

That some people don't care what they swear to was plainly evident in the city police court this morning. Geo. Lindsay, a contractor, was summoned by three of his employes for non-payment of wages. One of the men swore that the defendant had not paid him a cent, and the defendant swore point blank that he had.

Tourist Spoons and Opera Glasses.

Mr. A. A. Clayton, of the Diamond Palace, Government street, has now completed and ready for inspection, a large stock of tourist spoons, suitable for souvenirs of Victoria. In the bowls of the spoons are etched scenes of the Gorge, Dunsmuir Castle, Mount Baker, and other pictures of Victoria scenery. He has also just received a consignment of beautiful opera glasses, in pearl and Russia leather, which are pronounced the finest ever imported to this city.

St. Andrew's Choir Concert.

The street cars that left the post-office at 8 o'clock last evening for Victoria West were crowded with those who were on their way to the concert, which was held by the choir of St. Andrew's church in aid of the new Presbyterian church to be built there. A thoroughly first-class programme was presented, and Professors Fenwick and Strauss, who managed the affair, may justly feel proud of the success of their efforts. Ladies and gentlemen, all well-known in church concerts, took part and pleased a large audience.

Direct Connection.

Paul Schultze, the general land agent of the Northern Pacific railway, is expected to arrive from the Sound this evening in connection with the proposal which is to be laid before the Board of Aldermen about securing direct railway communication for Victoria with the American road. He has a great deal to say in matter of the kind, and will be able to give Victorians an idea of what it will be necessary to do to obtain a line to run into the city. The matter will come up at the council meeting this evening.

To-Night at the Victoria.

The stage of the Victoria theatre will be occupied by a different combination to-night to that which has delighted Victoria since Saturday. It will be an athletic exhibition of the Harris Australian company. Local sports need no further recommendation than the mention of Australia who holds her head high in the sporting world. Considerable interest centres in the appearance of Jim Hall, the man who is to meet Bob Fitzsimmons. He is a magnificent specimen of physical strength and development and is, generally taken, a typical Australian. Maber is another of the same ilk, and the names of Joe Goddard, Abe Willis and Alex McGreggains are not unknown. The leading item on the programme will be a scientific sparring match between Hall and Maber. They are a splendidly matched pair, and will give the boys some pointers. Several local sports will join in, among them Bob Foster, for whom suitable purses will be given.

180 Pieces of John Crossley & Sons' celebrated Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, just opened at Weiler Bros, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

GERMAN HARMONY.

General meeting of all German speaking residents of Victoria, Wednesday, March 25th at 8 p. m., at the Harmony Hall, 81 View street, All are invited.
(Deutsche Harmonie.)
P. T. HEBLER, Secretary.

Business of the meeting:---A permanent German Club Room.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.

THE EVANGELIST, GEORGE ROBERT Cairns, well known both in England and America, will conduct a series of gospel meetings in the Calvary Baptist Church, beginning Sunday, March 15. Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., week day meetings, Bible reading and prayer meeting at 3 p.m.; song service at 7.30 and preaching at 8 p.m.

Mr. Cairns who has been called the Singing Evangelist will sing as well as preach.

Special open air meeting at 7 o'clock at corner of Herald and Douglas streets.

A general invitation is extended ma14

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA OPERA HOUSE.

EASTER MONDAY, MARCH 30.

GRAND

Amateur Performance

by Ladies and Gentlemen of Victoria, under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

The successful comedy drama by Aug. Harvis

FALSE FRIENDS

Will be produced with new scenery under the stage management of Mr. Frederic Adderley.

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Wednesday, March 25.

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Who will all appear in a Scientific Exhibition of the Manly Art.

Note: Suitable Purses Given to all Local Boxers.

PRICES, 50c. AND $1.

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SPRING RACES

Victoria Jockey Club.

PROGRAMME:

FIRST DAY:

FRIDAY, MAY 1, COMMENCING AT 1 P. M.

1st Race—Trotting. 2:40 Class, heats 3 in 5 Purse, $250.

2nd Race—Running, ½ mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse, $100.

3rd Race—Roadsters, for horses bona fide owned in the Province for one month previous to race. Gentleman drivers. Heats 2 in 3. Entrance, $5. Prize, cup or set of Harness, value $50.

4th Race—1 mile dash, open. Gentlemen riders. Minimum weight 145 pounds. Entrance, $5. Prize, cup.

SECOND DAY:

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1891.

5th Race—Trotting and Pacing. Free for all. Heats 3 in 5. Purse $300.

6th Race—Running. Mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse $200.

7th Race—Polo Pony race. ½ mile dash. Open to ponies not over 14.2. Entrance $5. prize, Cup or saddle.

8th Race—Queen's Plate. 1½ mile dash. Purse, $500 and piece of plate. Second horse to save entrance fee. Open to all maidens foaled, raised and owned in the Province. Weights for age. Entrance fee 10 per cent. of purse.

For further particulars apply to
W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary.
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FORESTERS' SOCIAL DANCE.

A Social Dance will be held in the Philharmonic Hall on Tuesday March 31st, under the auspices of Court Vancouver, No. 5755, A. O. F. Tickets may be obtained from the following committee:—W. B. Hall, Geo. Wilby, E. E. Johnson, J. Gilligan, T. Jones, A. W. Semple, H. S. Fiterre, J. J. Randolph, Jas. Davis and F. F. WATSON, Sec. Com.

VICTORIA GUN CLUB.

MEMBERS OF THE ABOVE CLUB ARE hereby notified that the first general shoot of the club will be held at the Victoria Driving Park on Good Friday, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp. All members are requested to be present. By order,
G. WEILER, Secretary.
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Dec. 30.

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Lots (6) Dallas Road, facing the Sea		Lot, with House, on Cook Street.	
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WEATHER REPORT.

The following is the weather report, compiled by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E., for the 24 hours ending at 1 p.m. to-day.

Victoria, B. C., March 25, 1891.

	Ther'ter	Baro'eter	Wind.	Remarks.
24				
1 p.m	48.0		N by E	Overcast.
6 p.m	47.0			Raining
10 p.m	43.0			Cloudy
25				
6 a.m	42.0		NW by W	Cloudy
1 p.m	49.0		SE	"

Temperature—Highest, 49, lowest, 41.
Rain 0.17.

Removal.

Mr. Geo. S. Russell has removed his barber shop to 42 Yates street, next to W. J. Jeffrees. t.f.

Easter Vacation.

The supreme court adjourns on Thursday and will not sit again during next week this being the regular Easter week's vacation. The holiday will be the cause of the laying over of several important cases.

For the South.

The steamer Mexico sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following Victoria passengers: E. J. Redmond, R. L. Patterson, Geo. Percival, W. Marden, O. Semist, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Berteaux and Miss Polley.

Stammering Cured.

Prof. E. R. DuMont, of Boston, whose success in correcting defects in speech, has attracted much favorable attention in pacific coast cities during the past year, is at the Clarence. Those interested should call at once upon Mr. DuMont.

Another Dance.

Last Thursday evening, the ladies of the Spiritualist Society, Harmony Hall, generously decided to provide refreshments at the coming dance on the 26th inst. Thus giving their friends and the public an intimation that they believe in thing—material—as well as spiritual.

Davies vs. McMillan.

Argument for a rule nisi in the case of Davies vs. McMillan will be heard on next Wednesday week, April 8th. Mr. H. D. Helmcken will appear for the defence; Mr. Wilson for the plaintiff. To-day before the full court Mr. Wilson consented to the extension of time for the application for a new trial until the same time.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Brighouse vs. New Westminster.

The full court, Justices Crease, McCreight and Drake on the bench, to-day gave judgment on the appeal case of Brighouse vs. the Corporation of New Westminster. An appeal had been taken against the payment of a certain sum of money by the city to Mrs. Brighouse for damages done her land by reason of grading of Agnes street, New Westminster. The appeal was dismissed with costs, and the judgment sustained, Justices Crease and Drake in favor, Justice McCreight, against.

The Right Kind of Settler

A short time since a Mr. J. R. Roberts came to the coast in the interests of New York capitalists, and having transacted his business in the Sound cities, came on to Victoria for a few days' visit. He was an old friend of Rev. Mr. Macleod's and the latter reverend gentleman showed him all the attention and courtesy due to an old acquaintance. He was introduced to the leading merchants and citizens, and was so favorably impressed that he has decided to dispose of his New York business connections and settle out here with his family. Mr. Roberts will reach here about May 1st.

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Commencing at 8 p.m., sharp, under the supervision of Mrs. Rhodes.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

1. Chorus—"The Peasant's Wedding" ..Choir
2. Song—"Polly" ..Mr. Laundy
3. Song ..Miss Rhodes
4. Musical Farce—"Blind Beggars" Mr. White, Mr. C. W. Rhodes
5. Song—"The Quaker" ..Mr. Munro
6. Song—"The New Kingdom" (by request) ..Miss Twiss

Refreshments.

PART II.

7. Conspirators Chorus (in costume) ..By Gentlemen
8. Song—"The Message" ..Mrs. Jardon
9. Song ..Mr. Kent
10. Trio—"Red Cross Knights" ..Mrs. Jenion, Miss Hollfield, Mr. C. W. Rhodes
11. Song—"The Last Watch" ..Mr. H. White
12. Nursery Rhyme (in costume) ..Miss Beeton

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The Okanagan & Kootenay Railway Co. obtained a charter (with land grants of 20,000 acres per mile) to construct a railway from Vernon to Sproat's Landing, via the Coldstream Valley and Cherry Creek Mines.

A charter will be applied for at the next session of the Local Legislature to construct a Railway from Vernon south to the International Boundary, to connect with the American railway system.

This is a great chance to make money, as Vernon, being in the heart of the most extensive agricultural district in the Province, will undoubtedly become a large and flourishing city.

Arrangements have been completed with responsible parties for publishing a good weekly paper at Vernon, to commence business early in the new year. This paper will be circulated by the company in all parts of the world.

A Large Hotel will be erected early next spring, and plans for same are now ready.

PLANS OF TOWN-SITE ARE NOW IN ALL REAL ESTATE OFFICES

A large number of lots have already been sold, and most of these will have buildings erected on them early next year.

Special Inducements are offered to builders. See price list. Free sites will be given to parties establishing industries.

Financial assistance will also be given to responsible parties engaging in legitimate enterprises.

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The opening of the Shuswap & Okanagan Railway next summer will flood this favored country with land and mining prospectors, &c., and will give a great impetus to the farming, fruit growing, grazing and mining industries. Several important industries are projected and will likely be started in Vernon next year.

The best advice we can give intending purchasers is to go and see for yourself. The C.P.R. to Sicamous, Stage from Sicamous to Vernon. Leave Vancouver on Mondays or Fridays, arrive Vernon Tuesday or Friday evening.

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